



## Senate

General Assembly

**File No. 343**

*February Session, 2004*

Substitute Senate Bill No. 541

*Senate, March 30, 2004*

The Committee on Environment reported through SEN. WILLIAMS of the 29th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

### ***AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FREDERICK LAW OLMSTED DAY.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 10-29a of the general statutes, as amended by  
2 section 1 of public act 03-29 and section 1 of public act 03-79, is  
3 amended by adding subdivision (49) as follows (*Effective October 1,*  
4 *2004*):

5 (NEW) (49) The Governor shall proclaim April twenty-sixth of each  
6 year to be "Frederick Law Olmsted Day" to honor his legacy as the  
7 founder of American landscape architecture. Suitable exercises shall be  
8 held in the State Capitol and elsewhere as the Governor designates for  
9 the observance of the day.

This act shall take effect as follows:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2004</i>
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**ENV**      *Joint Favorable Subst.*

The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either House thereof for any purpose:

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**OFA Fiscal Note****State Impact:**

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 05 \$	FY 06 \$
Governor's Off.	GF - None	None	None

Note: GF=General Fund

**Municipal Impact:** None

**Explanation**

There is no fiscal impact for the Governor to declare April 26<sup>th</sup> Frederick Law Olmstead Day.

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**OLR Bill Analysis**

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***AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FREDERICK LAW OLMSTED DAY***

**SUMMARY:**

The bill requires (1) the governor to proclaim April 26 of each year “Frederick Law Olmsted Day” to honor his legacy as the founder of American landscape architecture and (2) annual exercises to be held in the State Capitol, and elsewhere as the governor designates, in observance of the day.

**COMMITTEE ACTION**

Environment Committee

Joint Favorable Substitute

Yea 27      Nay 0